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FOR: IMPROVED METHOD FOR THE CONTINUOUS PRODUCTION OF ALKYL(METH)ACRYLATES WITH MULTIPLE CATALYST RECYCLING

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

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SIR:

In response to the final Office Action dated October 26, 2007, and subsequent to entry of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.